## Circular Letter No. 103/2020

My No. PGIM/EX/10/MSc/BMI/S/II (20) Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, 160, Professor Nandadasa Kodagoda Mw, Colombo 7. 20<sup>th</sup> October 2020

To: Director/NHSL, Colombo,
Directors of Teaching Provincial & General Hospitals,
Medical Superintendents / Base Hospitals,
Deans of Faculties of Medicine/Medical Sciences,
Universities of Peradeniya/Colombo/Jaffna/Ruhuna/Kelaniya/
Sri Jayewardenepura/Rajarata,Esten

## MSc IN BIOMEDICAL INFORMATICS (SEMESTER II) BATCH 10 EXAMINATION-NOVEMBER 2020

- 1. The above examination is scheduled to commence on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2020.
  - "The date given in the circular is subject to change due to the current Covid –19 situation of the country. You will be given two weeks' time with the notification of actual date of the examination once the normality of the country is restored"
- 2. Applications are invited by me up to **09.11.2020** from medical officers/non-medical officers possessing the following requirements to sit the above examination:-
  - Demonstrate at least 80% attendance for lecture sessions and laboratory work during the semester for which the assessment is held.
- 3. The Examination shall consist of following components.
  - a) Assignments For M7 & M10
  - b) Theory Paper- For M6,M8 & M9
- 4. A candidate should obtain a minimum of Grade C (equivalent to a grade point of 2.0 or above) for each module Assignment / Theory Paper to pass a module.
- 5. The prescribed fees for the examination for candidates in the state sector as follows:-

(a) Application fee - Rs. 2,500/= (Non Refundable)
(b) Registration fee - Rs. 6,000/= (Non Refundable)
(c) Examination fees - Rs. 16,000/= (Non Refundable)

(Only online payments through the PGIM online portal will be acceptable)

(Candidates from non state sector will be charged 50% more of the above listed fees)

- 6. The application form can be downloaded from the website <a href="www.pgim.cmb.ac.lk">www.pgim.cmb.ac.lk</a>.
- 7. Applications with **every cage duly filled** should be forwarded through the Head of Department. The applications should reach the Senior Assistant Registrar/ Examinations, PGIM. No. 160, Professor Nandadasa Kodagoda Mw, Colombo 7 **on or before 09.11.2020** The envelope should be marked "Application for MSc Biomedical Informatics Semester II" at the top left hand corner **incomplete applications and late applications will not be considered under any circumstances.**
- 8. Please refer to the new regulations laid down by Ministry of Health regarding release of Medical Officers of Department of Health website <a href="http://www.health.gov.lk/en/">http://www.health.gov.lk/en/</a>
- 9. The results will be valid and official after confirmation by the Senate of the University
- 10. The candidates will be issued an "Examination Feedback Form" with the admission documents. Feedback in Part II should be limited to concerns, if any, regarding the conduct of the examination (eg. perceived biases, discriminatory behaviour, harassment, intimidation) and NOT regarding the format or content of the examination. The form should be sent back to Director/PGIM under confidential cover within 48 hours after conclusion of the examination. No concerns regarding the examination will be entertained after 48 hours of conclusion of the examination or following the release of results nor will these be investigated by the PGIM.
- 11. Candidates are requested to visit the PGIM website for further updates.
- 12. Please bring the contents of the Circular Letter to the notice of all medical officers concerned in your department/division/faculty.

Dr. Pandula Siribaddana

**Acting Deputy Director, PGIM** 

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